



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Vasily Vasilievich SHKONDIN

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RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed December 9, 2004. A shortened statutory period was set to expire two months from the date of the Office Action, making a response due by February 9, 2005.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the application as follows: